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SUBJECT: WATER POLLUTION CONTROL TRADE MISSION TO BELGIUM/
LUXEMBOURG, SEPTEMBER 5-9, 1976

REF: (A) USDOC 5240 ; (B) BRUSSELS 2954

1. EMBASSY ASSUMES THAT REF A CROSSED REF B. WE WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION OF TIMING AND PROGRAM OUTLINED UNDER REF A TAKING INTO ACCOUNT OUR COMMENTS REF B. SINCE THERE IS POSSIBILITY THAT ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WILL OFFER TECHNICAL CONSULTANT FOR INCLUSION IN MISSION, WE WOULD BE PREPARED TO REQUEST BOTH NATO AND EEC BRIEFINGS ON SEPT. 7 FOLLOWING EMBASSY BRIEFING AS SUGGESTED PARA 3A REFTEL B.

2. EMBASSY HAS ALREADY SPOKEN TO TWO US FIRMS WHICH HAVE EXPRESSED STRONG INTEREST IN PARTICIPATING IN SUBJECT TRADE MISSION.

(A) MOGUL CORPORATION -- MR. CARL W. REGUTTI, INTERNATIONAL DIVISION MANAGER, WATER TREATMENT GROUP, MOGUL, CHAGRIN FALLS, OHIO 44022 (TEL. 216-247-5000) RECENTLY VISITED BELGIUM AND WAS INFORMED BY US ABOUT POSSIBILITY OF USDOC ORGANIZING A TRADE MISSION IN HIS PARTICULAR FIELD OF COMPETENCE.

HE WAS ALSO TOLD ABOUT US PARTICIPATION IN AQUATECH IN SEPTEMBER 1976. MOGUL CORPORATION IS CONSIDERING THE PURCHASE OF ONE OF SEVERAL BELGIAN FIRMS IN ORDER TO ENTER INTO EUROPEAN MARKET (N.B. THIS INFORMATION SHOULD BE HELD UNCLASSIFIED

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VERY CLOSELY).

(B) CHEMVIRON -- THIS FIRM, A SUBSIDIARY OF MERCK AND CO;
IS BUILDING A FACTORY IN BELGIUM TO PROCESS ACTIVATED CHARCOAL
AND TO SELL BELGIAN INDUSTRY ITS PROCESS FOR WATER PURIFICATION.
MR. DONALD HAGER, MANAGING DIRECTOR, AND DR. PETER HORN,
DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR, CHEMVIRON, CHAUSSEE DE WATERLOO 1135,
1180 BRUSSELS (TEL: 02-375-2420) BELIEVE THAT THEIR FIRM
COULD BENEFIT FROM PARTICIPATION IN THE SUBJECT TRADE MISSION.
THEY WERE ALSO ENCOURAGED TO CONSIDER PARTICIPATION IN THE
US PORTION OF THE AQUATECH FAIR.

3. USDOC AND EMBASSY THE HAGUE MIGHT WISH TO FOLLOW UP
WITH THE TWO FIRMS MENTIONED ABOVE TO OBTAIN THEIR
PARTICIPATION IN THE TRADE MISSION AND/OR AQUATECH.
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